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Attorney Reference: TOP 334

New Patent Application of: Sheng-Hua CHEN, Hung-Yi CHANG

and Jeng-Huang WU

Title: INPUT/OUTPUT BUFFER

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Please find attached hereto an application for patent that includes:

- Specification, Claims and Abstract (18 Pages) [x]
- 6 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Fig. 1 through Fig. 6) [x]
- Inventor's Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 Pages) [x]
- Assignment document with cover page (3 Pages) [x]
- Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 $[\]$
- Fee (see formula below) [x]
- Small Entity status asserted [x]
- Form PTO-2038 **[x]**

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Number of independent claims: 2 in excess of 3: 0 times \$84/42	\$0.00
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